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EXTRADITIONS AND OUT-OF-STATE TRANSPORT

One function of the Sheriff's Office is the transport of a person under extradition from any state back to Wisconsin. This occurs when a person charged with a felony in Wisconsin flees the state. A Jefferson County Circuit Court then orders the person to be held accountable for their offense.

That person's name and description is entered into a nation-wide computer system, accessible only to law enforcement. If, for any reason, police have contact with the fugitive and run their information through the system, they will get a "hit". This notifies Jefferson County that our fugitive has been stopped by an out-of-state agency.

It is then our responsibility to confirm to that agency that we want the fugitive and will extradite him/her back here. The Jefferson County District Attorney then confirms the process to bring the subject back and the amount of bond available to them. The fugitive will appear in front of a judge in the state in which he/she is detained. If the subject agrees to come back to Wisconsin or "waives", the fugitive is brought back.

If the subject disputes the charge, the District Attorney petitions the Governor of Wisconsin to request the return of the fugitive. This request goes to the Governor of the state that is holding the inmate. Upon review of the facts, if the other Governor agrees to the request, he/she issues a Governor's warrant. The fugitive is then arrested on this warrant and Jefferson County is notified to pick up the individual.

Statistics for 2014 on extraditions:

A total of 23 individuals were held in other states on felony warrants issued in Jefferson County. Some of these have been carried over from previous years, as they are serving prison sentences in other states. Of those, 19 were brought back to Jefferson County by the Sheriff. Four were carried forward into 2015. The majority of charges were for Failure to Support, but charges also included, robbery, failure to report to jail, bail jumping, false imprisonment, forgery, drug charges, and numerous other offenses. The majority of these fugitives were brought back to Wisconsin using a transportation service, Prisoner Transport Service. This service charges by the mile, one-way, and is by far less expensive than sending our personnel. However, two fugitives were transported from Illinois in 2014 so it was more cost effective to use our deputies on these short trips.

We continue to utilize a web search program called CLEAR, which has allowed our dispatch center to locate fugitives that have moved out of state. Dispatchers have been very proactive in trying to locate fugitives that have fled from Wisconsin.

The cost to the county was approximately \$12,520.76 for all of these transports. The costs to return these inmates are borne by the inmate as we continue to work with the District Attorney to request court-ordered restitution for these expenses.

Respectfully submitted,
Jerry A. Haferman, Captain
Administrative Division

ACCOUNTING OF TRANSPORTATION COSTS

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MONTH	NUMBER OF JUVENILES	COST OF JUVENILE TRANSPORTS	NUMBER OF ALL TRANSPORTS	COST OF ALL TRANSPORTS
January	8	\$1,566.03	20	\$3,906.13
February	12	\$2,151.78	26	\$4,253.30
March	7	\$1,408.79	20	\$3,059.02
April	15	\$1,975.27	32	\$4,986.76
May	4	\$857.32	23	\$3,893.77
June	9	\$1,359.98	27	\$4,202.95
July	3	\$328.97	21	\$4,069.46
August	2	\$135.54	17	\$3,065.99
September	5	\$1,227.46	22	\$5,185.71
October	4	\$479.66	23	\$3,701.75
November	7	\$964.58	22	\$3,231.45
December	<u>2</u>	<u>\$363.57</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>\$3,348.25</u>
TOTAL =	78	\$12,818.95	272	\$46,904.54

Report to the Sheriff

By: Karen Schmidt, Accounting Specialist I

In addition to the extradition of individuals from outside the State of Wisconsin, the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office also transports adults and juveniles throughout the state. The transports within the State of Wisconsin are at the request of the courts and Human Services. The adults are transported to and from other institutions for the purpose of appearing in court, mental commitments, and alcohol detoxification, among others.

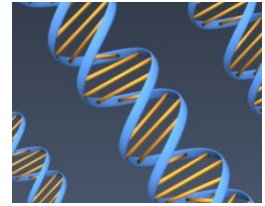
Juveniles are transported by the Sheriff's Office primarily for the same reasons adults are transported, in addition to juvenile detention. Juveniles constitute 29 percent of all transports. The above chart indicates the cost of transporting juveniles to be \$12,818.95, or 27 percent of the total spent on transportation.

Those costs are based upon the 2014 mileage rate at \$0.56 plus the deputy's hourly wage. The costs are monitored and show the efforts made to minimize the fiscal impact upon the county. The lower cost is accomplished by utilizing on-duty and part-time deputies.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul S. Milbrath, Sheriff



DETECTIVE DIVISION 2014 ANNUAL REPORT



The general detective division is comprised of one administrative captain, one detective sergeant, six detectives, one full-time and one part-time secretary. In May, Judith Lins retired as a part-time detective secretary and her position was filled in October by Nycol Haberman. In August, Detective Timothy Behselich was promoted to the rank of jail sergeant and Deputy Vaughn Johnson was promoted to the rank of detective with a start date of February 23, 2015. This continues several years of growth and transition for the Detective Division and operating at less than full staff.

Some of the notable investigations for 2014 include:

February – The detective division investigated a complaint regarding a registered sex offender traveling from Jefferson County to Illinois to engage in sexual activity with a minor. Charges were referred to the District Attorney for possession of child pornography and use of a computer to facilitate a child sex crime. Additional charges were filed in the State of Illinois regarding sexual assault that occurred in that jurisdiction.

March – The detective division began investigating a complaint regarding a deceased subject located in a cornfield in the Town of Ixonia. The Wisconsin Crime Lab-Mobile Crime Scene Response Unit assisted the detective division with processing the scene. The remains were submitted to the Milwaukee Medical Examiner's Office and were identified as 23-year-old Alejandra Guzman-Flores of Milwaukee. This investigation remains open and ongoing.

April – The detective division investigated a complaint involving substantial vandalism that occurred at the Spring Creek Golf Course located in the Town of Cold Spring. The investigation resulted in juvenile referrals being submitted on seven juveniles from the Fort Atkinson area.

August – The detective division investigated a theft of tractor and other vehicle parts from a property in the Town of Farmington. The investigation was concluded with Felony Theft Charges being submitted to the District Attorney's Office on three (3) individuals.

Identity thefts, property thefts, burglaries, domestic abuse and sexual assault incidents continue to comprise the majority of investigations handled by the detective division. Heroin use and addictions are still fueling the increase in property crimes. Criminals typically target money, prescription medications, jewelry and firearms, which are items that can usually be quickly converted into cash to purchase more heroin. In 2014 the number of property related complaints, especially residential burglaries, remained high.

The Jefferson County Detective Division continues to maintain a high degree of standards and proficiency by having detectives attend a number of investigative schools regarding identity theft, fraud, arson, child abuse, evidence collection and processing, death investigation, computer voice stress analysis, identifying deceptive behavior, interview and interrogation and forensic analysis of cell phones and computers.

Respectfully Submitted,
Det Sergeant Donald Hunter
Detective Division

...to preserve and protect life, liberty and property.

COMPUTER VOICE STRESS ANALYZER 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

In 2014 the Sheriff's Office conducted three Computer Voice Stress Analyzer (CVSA) tests for this agency's cases: one case of alleged inmate on inmate sexual assault, one burglary case, and a theft of medication from an elderly victim. The sexual assault case was closed due to insufficient evidence and the determination that the suspect was not being deceptive. The suspect in the burglary case was determined to be deceptive, and the case is still open and under investigation. The suspect in the theft case was also determined to be deceptive, but the case was ultimately closed due to insufficient evidence to charge and the victim passing away.

We further received requests from two outside agencies for five tests, and those tests were also conducted – assisting the agencies in the completion of two investigations, with one still pending. The CVSA test is a voluntary test and consent is needed to conduct the test on an individual.

In many cases, the investigating detective merely suggested to the suspect the use of the CVSA test to confirm their statement which turned out to be enough to convince a suspect that telling the truth would be beneficial to them. Suspects often admit giving deceptive answers and become honest without the test being administered.

The CVSA exam is designed to aid the investigating agency by determining a course of action after exhausting all other means of investigation. The CVSA continues to be a valuable asset in investigations for the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office as well as other agencies. In past years such cases would have been uncharged due to lack of evidence or other information. The CVSA also aids investigators with case management by better utilizing investigative time and energy by eliminating possible suspects. This allows investigators to focus their time on other viable suspects involved in a case.

Respectfully submitted,
Sergeant Timothy Behselich
CVSA Operator

DETECTIVE DIVISION 2014 ACTIVITY REPORT

		2013	2014
Juveniles Referred		36	30
Adults Referred		275	237
Citations Issued by Detective Division	County Ordinance	3	10
	Traffic	3	1
Detective Initiated Incidents	ICAC	1	5
	JESO	136	129
Assigned Investigations		297	223
Items Entered in Evidence		2116	2293
Incidents of:	Domestic Abuse	96	72
	Sexual Assault	47	48
	Battery	58	43
	Burglary	72	76
	Theft	250	195
	Fraud:	66	75
	Fraud	54	51
	ID Theft	12	24
	Worthless Checks	0	0
	Arson	2	0
	Robbery	2	1
	Missing Persons (Adults)	11	12
	Missing Persons (Juveniles)	35	26
	Death Investigations (non-traffic)	DET DIV 16 TOTAL 70	DET DIV 13 TOTAL 74
	Homicide (non-traffic) - including attempted	1	0
	Juvenile Investigations (as victim or offender)	DET DIV 91 TOTAL 154	DET DIV 50 TOTAL 97
	Assist Other Police Agency	87	114
	Criminal Damage to Property/Vandalism	17	11

JEFFERSON COUNTY DRUG TASK FORCE

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The Jefferson County Drug Task Force is a multi-jurisdictional agency comprised of local police departments including Fort Atkinson PD, Jefferson PD, Johnson Creek PD, Lake Mills PD, Palmyra PD, Town of Lake Mills PD, Town of Oakland PD, Waterloo PD, Watertown PD, the Jefferson County District Attorney's Office and the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office. The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office acts as the lead agency for the Jefferson County Drug Task Force, providing two full time detectives and a detective sergeant, who acts as the project director and oversees the day to day operations of the unit.

The Task Force, for the tenth year, affiliates with Dodge County, Kenosha County, Racine County and Walworth County to form the South East Area Drug Operations Group, (S.E.A.D.O.G.). This merger came about at the request of the Office of Justice Assistance which monitors and distributes the Byrne Grant funds for the State of Wisconsin. The merger continues to enhance our operations by networking with these jurisdictions and sharing of information and resources. This merger makes our group the largest multi-agency drug unit in Wisconsin.

The Jefferson County Drug Task Force initiated and/or assisted with investigations of 891 cases during 2014; an increase of 90 cases from 2013. Of these investigations, 343 were cleared by either a citation or an arrest. These investigations resulted in 265 criminal charges being referred to the District Attorney's office. Of these, 122 were charged as felony cases and 143 were charged as misdemeanor offenses. In addition, the Task Force issued 264 municipal/ordinance citations against suspects throughout the year; this is an increase of 27 citations from 2013. The Jefferson County Drug Task Force assisted in 18 cases initiated by other agencies outside of the Jefferson County borders.

For the 25th year, the Task Force participated in the Cannabis Eradication and Suppression Enforcement (CEASE) program sponsored by the State of Wisconsin. Through this program we are able to receive funding for overtime expenses to process grow evidence while working in this capacity.

The Task Force continues to focus on the growing trend of the sale and use of opiates and heroin within Jefferson County. Again in 2014, most of the cases investigated involved the sale of prescription medications and heroin. In fact, Task Force records showed the seizure of opioid medications and heroin surpassed 2013 totals. The Task Force also teamed up with the DARE Officers from Fort Atkinson, Lake Mills, Watertown and the UW-Whitewater Police Departments to develop a two-part educational program that is being presented in Jefferson County High Schools. The first part is to educate the students about the dangers of opiates and heroin. The second part is to educate parents and the general public about indicators of heroin use and current trends in Jefferson County. This two-part program has been well received and attended by students and the general public.

The Task Force continues to seize vehicles and other assets that are involved in the drug trade when available. For the year 2014, the Task Force filed forfeiture documents in 6 separate cases; both at the federal and at the state level. The Task Force was able to seize

approximately \$17,811.90 worth of property or U.S. Currency which is either used for Task Force operations or deposited in the State of Wisconsin school fund as per state statutes.

During 2014, drug informational talks to the community continued with Task Force personnel or representatives conducting different types of presentations to the citizens of Jefferson County. These types of talks and activities have been very rewarding and productive. The citizens of our communities have been very appreciative of our efforts to decrease the drug traffic in their local areas. In 2014, members of the Jefferson County Drug Task Force participated in 14 different presentations to various groups, including students, parents, business owners and various other individuals. In total there were over 1,500 individuals in attendance at these presentations.

Membership with the Wisconsin Narcotics Officers Association greatly increased our contacts throughout the entire state. Our attendance at the annual conference and regional training seminars not only builds on our educational backgrounds but also enables us to network with the drug task force operations throughout the entire state. In addition, Task Force Officers have made it a point to seek out free training opportunities to continue to enhance their education and to keep up with the changing trends within the drug communities.

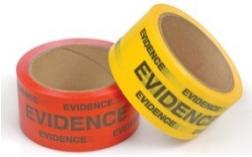
The Task Force anticipates continuing to be proactive and effective with the resources we have. Thank you for your continued support.

Respectfully submitted,
Margareta A. Gray, Detective Sergeant
Project Director, Jefferson County Drug Task Force



*What item appeared in the first TV
commercial featuring a toy?*





EVIDENCE OFFICER'S 2014 ANNUAL REPORT



In 2014, Jefferson County Sheriff's Office deputies submitted 2,292 items of property from 668 cases for entry into the evidence system. Items placed into evidence range in size from hairs and fibers to motor vehicles.

Two additional deputies received training on processing crime scenes through the Wisconsin Department of Justice. We now have four evidence officers who are able to process collected evidence from crime scenes. On major crime scenes, evidence officers will be utilized to process the crime scene. They will use their additional training to look for latent fingerprints, collect blood or other biological evidence, cast tool marks or footwear impressions and document the evidence at the crime scenes through photography and sketches.

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office currently has four detectives who fill the role of evidence officers. Two evidence officers are assigned to maintain the evidence facilities at the sheriff's office and two evidence officers are assigned to the Jefferson County Drug Task Force, maintaining the bulk of the drug evidence. The Drug Task Force is involved in search warrants which typically involves the collection of large amounts of evidence that needs to be catalogued and processed. Evidence officers maintain a casework load in addition to their evidence duties; therefore the evidence room is only maintained on a part-time basis.

Evidence officers are responsible for maintaining the evidence rooms, transporting evidence to and from the State Crime Laboratory in Madison and facilitating the chain of custody of evidence for court proceedings. The State Crime Lab in Madison is the primary Crime Lab used by the Sheriff's Office for evidence that needs to be analyzed. Evidence officers also handle the disposition of items which no longer have any evidentiary value, including returning items to the owner, preparing items for auction and destruction of items.

Respectfully submitted,
Detective Sergeant Donald C. Hunter
Detective Division



Who lived at 221B Baker Street, London?



Answer: Sherlock Holmes

JEFFERSON COUNTY CRISIS NEGOTIATORS

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The Jefferson County Crisis Team consists of one supervising officer (detective sergeant) and seven trained deputies. This unit responds to call outs in conjunction with the Jefferson County SWAT team, upon request by local municipalities and other related situations. This unit has been in existence for more than 20 years and has assisted in numerous situations involving barricaded subjects, suicidal subjects and hostage situations.

New unit members attend a basic training program provided by the FBI or Wisconsin Department of Justice. For the seasoned negotiators, unit members attend either the one day spring conference or the three day fall Wisconsin Crisis Negotiators Association Conferences. At times training is also held in conjunction with local and area SWAT teams.

The Hostage Negotiator Team averages about three call outs a year and 2014 was no exception.

The most significant callout involved the City of Fort Atkinson. Fort Atkinson officers responded to a domestic dispute in which an intoxicated female armed herself with a rifle. As officers approached her on the stairway in the residence she fired off a round. Uniformed officers secured a perimeter and requested assistance from the Jefferson County SWAT and Crisis Negotiation Team. Contact was made with the female subject and after approximately five hours of on and off negotiations a peaceful resolution occurred with the subject surrendering to law enforcement.

The Crisis Negotiation Team responded to two additional call outs in 2014. One call resulted in negotiators making face-to-face contact with a subject who did surrender to members of law enforcement and was taken into custody without incident or injury during the incident. The final incident in which negotiators were called out ended peacefully prior to the arrival of the Crisis Negotiator Team.

Respectfully submitted
Margareta A. Gray, Detective Sergeant
Unit Supervisor, Jefferson County Hostage Negotiator Team



In the words, Zip Code, what does "Zip" stand for?



SUPPORT SERVICES

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The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Support Services Division continues to be responsible for Civil Process, Courthouse Security, and Transports. Staff for the Support Services Division consists of one sergeant, four full-time deputies and seven part-time deputies. This allowed the security station to be staffed 100% of the time during normal business hours in 2014. Because the front security station was staffed on a regular basis, the number of weapons confiscated continues to decline.

While attempts to bring weapons into the courthouse is a major concern, the criminal act deputies at the front security station see more frequently is intoxicated persons entering the building to make court appearances. Deputies are able to detect the smell of intoxicants from their breath. The person is given a preliminary breath test. If there is a positive result for alcohol, that individual is then arrested for bail jumping, for violating their court order, and sometimes charged with driving while intoxicated if they transported themselves to the courthouse. The deputies and the security station equipment have proven successful in an overall proactive approach to stop or resolve a situation before it becomes a major security issue.

In 2014, the Sheriff's Office continued to work jointly with other employees within the county on training and security measures in order to enhance employee awareness and create a safe work environment for all employees of Jefferson County. Listed below are the statistics we posted in the courthouse during 2014:

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>
➤ Arrests:	195	119	185
➤ Juries:	23	22	35
➤ Pages/Requests for Deputy:	325	315	455

Transports continue to go well as we use all available resources in order to reduce costs. This includes using patrol and jail deputies to assist with transports as well as other on-duty personnel, including part-time deputies. Support Services completed 372 transports in 2014. The implementation of video conferencing in the courthouse and jail in 2011 saved the Sheriff's Office from having to do an additional 55 transports from mental health facilities from throughout the state. Mental health facilities such as St. Agnes have recognized the cost savings with video conferencing equipment and have added the equipment to their facilities.

We look forward to continuing the high level of security and assistance to the staff and visitors of the Jefferson County Courthouse in 2015.

Respectfully submitted,
Sharee Behm, Sergeant
Support Services Division

CIVIL PROCESS

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The Civil Process Division received 1,744 documents during 2014, served 1,716 documents, executed 80 Writs, scheduled 230 Foreclosure Sales and returned 27 documents at the Plaintiff's request, prior to making service.

Of the 80 Writs executed; 5 were Writs of Replevin, 47 were Writs of Restitution, 5 were Writs of Execution Against Property, and 23 were Writs of Assistance. In 69 of the Writs of Restitution & Assistance cases, the defendant(s) complied with the Sheriff's Order to Vacate, and in the other one case the Civil Process Division had to physically remove the defendant's property. In the cases of the Writs of Execution Against Property, four were returned unsatisfied and one was satisfied.

The 230 Foreclosure Sales required the Civil Process Division to post 460 sale notices.

Invoices generated by the Civil Process Division totaled \$93,744.00. Ledger entry payments totaled \$22,211.00 and other monies received for service fees totaled \$71,713.58.

Respectfully submitted,
Sharee Behm, Sergeant
Support Services Division

The position of sheriff is one of great antiquity and honor. He was the deputy of the king in his shire and was accountable to no one but the king to whom he was responsible for the royal levies of men for the army, money for the treasury, and for the preservation of the king's peace, for good order and for justice.

Within the field of his responsibility for the maintenance of law and order the sheriff today retains his ancient character and is accountable only to the sovereign, the voters of his country, though he may be removed by the governor for cause. No other county official supervises his work or can require a report or an accounting from him concerning his performance of his duty. He chooses his own ways and means of performing it. He divides his time according to his own judgment of what is necessary and desirable but is always subject to call and is eternally charged with maintaining the peace of the county and the apprehension of those who break it.

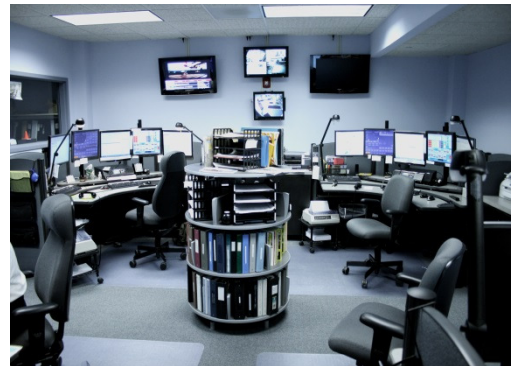
From Andreski v. Industrial Commission, 261 Wis. 234, 52 N.W.2nd 135; (1952)

9-1-1 COMMUNICATIONS CENTER

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The Jefferson County 9-1-1 Communications Center is a branch of the Patrol Division with the center located within the Sheriff's Office. The 9-1-1 Center is comprised of nine full-time, four part-time dispatchers and one communications supervisor who also serves as the Information Technology Manager and radio technician for the Sheriff's Office. The center is staffed 24 hours per day, 7 days a week, with a minimum of two dispatchers on duty at all times.

During the course of a normal shift, dispatchers are responsible for answering more than 20 phone lines and monitoring over 25 different radio channels, including the new Statewide WISCOM radio network. The 9-1-1 Center answers all non-emergency (administrative lines), emergency (alarm companies), landline 9-1-1, and the Jefferson County 9-1-1 Center is the only 9-1-1 communications center in the county which answers all the wireless (cell phone) 9-1-1 phone calls. Non-emergency and landline 9-1-1 calls from within the city limits of Watertown, Whitewater,



and Fort Atkinson are answered by their respective 9-1-1 centers. Jefferson County is one of several answering points located throughout the state and nation for the National Warning Center System (NAWAS). This system is currently used for notifications of natural and technology disasters and also gives the 9-1-1 Center a direct line of communications to the National Weather Service during severe weather. The Jefferson County 9-1-1 Communications Center is responsible for dispatching 16 Emergency Medical Services (EMS), 1 paramedic intercept unit from Fort Hospital, 14 Fire Departments which are part of Wisconsin MABAS Division 118, the Jefferson County Level B HAZMAT Team, the Jefferson County EMS Mass Casualty Trailer and up to 22 different Law Enforcement Agencies. They are also responsible for dispatching and notifying various specialized teams within the Sheriff's Office such as the Major Accident Investigation Team (MAIT), SWAT Team, Dive Team and the Jefferson County Emergency Communications Group for any variety of incidents.

In 2014, the 9-1-1 Center processed a total of 62,646 calls for service. These calls for service are broken down as follows: 5,849 for Emergency Medical Services (EMS), 5,254 for fire (which includes controlled burns reported to the Sheriff's Office), 18,299 for local police departments and other law enforcement agencies, and 33,244 for the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office alone. The 9-1-1 Center also processed 117,608 phone calls which are broken down as follows: 96,426 non-emergency phone calls, 3,097 emergency phone calls, 2,859 landline 9-1-1 phone calls, and 15,226 wireless 9-1-1 calls.

The dispatchers perform many other duties in addition to their normal duties of answering phones and dispatching calls. Our 9-1-1 Center is also responsible for maintaining all warrants, restraining orders, and injunctions issued by the Jefferson County Circuit Courts and other various municipal courts. Dispatchers manually enter these documents

electronically into the Wisconsin Department of Justice Crime Information Bureau (CIB), the National Crime Information Center (NCIC), our Records Management System (in-house computer system referred to as CIS) databases and then file them within the Communications Center. Several dispatchers also are trained by the Department of Justice as validation officers and spend much of their shift double checking the entries after they are entered and perform required monthly validation checks on all the records to keep the information current and accurate. Most of the dispatchers have other duties as well. Some of these duties include the responsibility of training new dispatchers which is a 15 week long process, working with our Land Information Office in maintaining accurate geographic files in our computer system, maintaining the 9-1-1 database, insuring all open shifts are filled in the schedule, participate in public relations events in the community and take part in communications/emergency management exercises.

In 2014 we replaced our eight-year-old server that operates our Records Management, Jail Management, Civil Process and Computer Aided Dispatch System. The server is located in dispatch and is the life-line for all operations within the Sheriff's Office. In 2014 we also finished our countywide simulcast paging system which was started in 2013. This upgraded communications system allows the 9-1-1 Center to deliver an improved signal to alert the numerous first responders within the county. The upgraded system also allows for enhanced radio reception from our units in the field while they are out of the car thereby decreasing officer safety concerns. Our current system consists of seven sites located throughout the county with one backup site located in Jefferson. During the first quarter of 2015 we will be linking another site currently operated by the City of Watertown to our system which will enhance our radio and paging coverage for that area of the county.

Your Jefferson County 9-1-1 Communications Center actively participates with other 9-1-1 Centers in Southeastern Wisconsin. We are regarded by other 9-1-1 centers throughout the state as the leaders for new programs, communication initiatives, and have a reputation of providing quality, low-cost dispatcher training.

The 9-1-1 Communications Center staff would like to extend a thank you to the Law Enforcement Committee, other various committees, and especially the County Board for their continued support which allows us to strive to make improvements and enhancements in order to provide the highest level of service that the citizens of Jefferson County expect and deserve.



Respectfully submitted,
Todd Lindert,
Communications Supervisor



Doesn't "expecting the unexpected" make the unexpected expected?

JEFFERSON CO. EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

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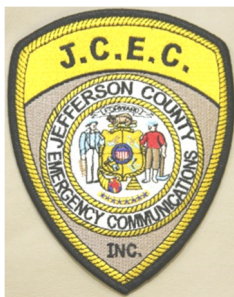
JCEC experienced an overall increase in activity this year and we are pleased to make the following report to the Sheriff, County Board and the citizens of Jefferson County.

Our volunteers were requested 25 times by the Sheriff's Office for traffic and crowd control at injury accidents, large fires and crime scenes. The Fort Atkinson Police Department asked for our assistance three times under similar circumstances. These numbers represent an increase of 10 responses over last year. JCEC provided personnel at 31 scheduled events throughout the county including: marathons and bicycle fundraisers, community celebrations, parades, and several private and government events held at the Fair Park. Many of our scheduled event "customers" have requested us for years to promote public safety when large crowds gather and to assist with the lawful flow of traffic.

The largest annual event that utilizes all of our personnel and training is the Jefferson County Fair. JCEC members provided 432 hours of service at the fair. The JCEC dispatch computer documented 117 calls for service. Those contacts included parking violations, first aid and ambulance requests, control of disorderly subjects and locating lost children to name only a few. Our command post is headquarters for more than JCEC volunteers. The "bus" and our related radio equipment assist sheriff's deputies, medical personnel, firefighters and park staff with the safe and efficient operation of the fair.

JCEC continues to provide the support of our volunteers and equipment to the Sheriff's Office MAIT, SWAT, and Dive Teams. Specially trained JCEC members make up the Park Patrol detail which visits all of our county parks to discourage vandalism and lewd activity.

It is my honor to represent the dedicated and selfless volunteers of JCEC. I am very grateful for the recognition and support that JCEC, Inc. receives from the Sheriff and members of the law enforcement community. We look forward to continuing our work with the deputies, officers, fire, and medical responders who protect the citizens of Jefferson County.



Respectfully submitted,
Lance Shanahan, President
Jefferson County Emergency Communications, Inc.



Before they invented drawing boards, what did they go back to?

JAIL DIVISION

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

This report continues to be a testament to the hard work that the men and women assigned to this division do every day. I continue to be impressed with the dedication that these deputies show in what I have come to recognize as a very difficult environment.

In the past year we continued to work on issues within the jail to make the day-to-day operations continue to flow smoothly, while still maintaining the high standard of care and security this facility is known for.

Once again in 2014 our facility received high marks from the state during our annual inspection. The state inspector is very impressed with the operation of our facility.

The jail division continues to provide support to other division of the Sheriff's Office in assisting with transports to other facilities, responding to requests for assistance at the courthouse and assisting our communication center during severe weather or at major incidents.

We continue to provide services and programs to the inmates who seek our assistance. As you will read in this report, there have been numerous successful programs and services in which our inmates have been involved. I am a strong supporter of these services and will continue to look for new ideas.

In conclusion, I will again state that I cannot speak highly enough of the men and women who serve the citizens of Jefferson County in this facility and they will always have my respect and support. The deputies are some of the most caring and professional people that I have worked with in my law enforcement career. This job is thankless and stressful and could not be done by just anyone.

The citizens of Jefferson County are very fortunate to have such professional men and women willing to serve and protect the freedom and security they enjoy.

Respectfully submitted,
Paul Wallace, Captain
Jail Division

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What 1969 music festival was held in New York?

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Answer: Woodstock

JAIL FOODSERVICE 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

Meals Served

Approximately 170,300 meals were served to the jail population in 2014. This number includes Huber bag lunches.

Food/Operating Cost

The approximate total dollar amount spent on food for the Jefferson County Jail in 2014 was \$170,150.00. About \$42,500.00 of food product was carried over into 2015. Including inventory carry over, the cost per meal is about \$.74 without labor/utilities.

The jail kitchen received over \$26,000.00 of bread, fresh, frozen, and canned items along with fruit, vegetables, meats and cheese from two local farms, a cheese packaging plant and some other donors. We want to thank our donors very much for their support and generosity.

As in past years, we continue to search for the best food purchase opportunities, taking advantage of quantity buys and donations whenever possible.

Labor Hours

The inmate CSW (Community Service Worker) program contributed 4,718 labor hours in 2014. This position hired out would cost the County over \$52,000 in wages.

Improvements

The jail foodservice has earned its 6th straight sanitation award since registering for a restaurant license. As of 2014, this award has been discontinued by the Health Department for reasons unknown. As always, we will still continue to maintain our high standards in the foodservice area. No major improvements were made to the jail kitchen in 2014.

The foodservice is subject to monthly health inspections, a yearly state health inspection, a yearly state DOC inspection and an inspection by a licensed dietitian. Our kitchen is licensed as a restaurant and is able to provide food for large group events.

Foodservice Supervisor Brian Nesthus was awarded Support Person of the Year by the Jefferson County Chiefs and Sheriff Association for 2014.

Respectfully submitted,
Brian R. Nesthus, Foodservice Supervisor since 1995



AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION

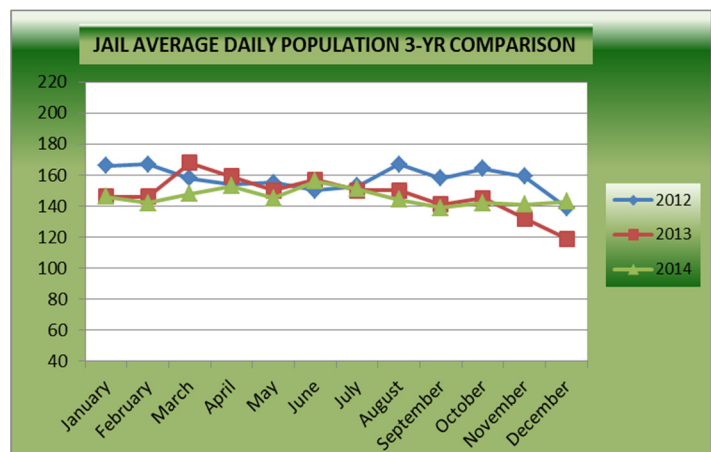
10-YEAR AVERAGE

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>AVERAGE # OF INMATES</u>
2005	189
2006	183
2007	194
2008	195
2009	176
2010	143
2011	158
2012	158
2013	147
2014	146

AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION

2014 BY MONTH / 3-YEAR COMPARISON

JANUARY	146	JULY	151
FEBRUARY	142	AUGUST	144
MARCH	148	SEPTEMBER	139
APRIL	153	OCTOBER	142
MAY	145	NOVEMBER	141
JUNE	156	DECEMBER	143



Respectfully submitted,
Lisa Handrow, Sergeant
Jail Division

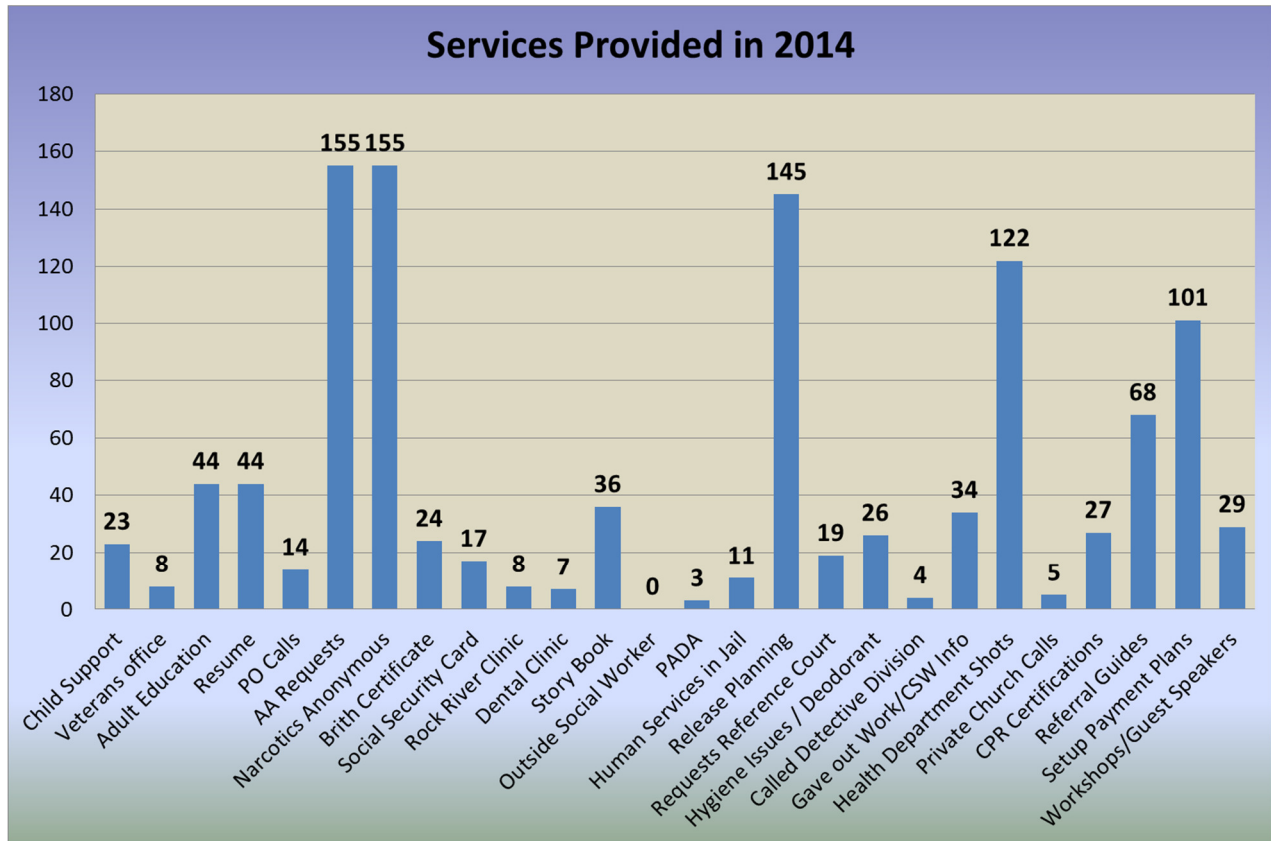
2014 OFFENSES OF INMATES HELD IN JAIL

OFFENSE	TOTAL
ARSON	2
BATTERY	29
BAIL JUMPING	48
BURGLARY	16
CHILD ABUSE	10
CONTRIB TO DEL OF MINOR	1
CRIM DAMAGE TO PROPERTY	15
CRIM TRES-DWELLING/LAND	16
DEFRAUD INKEEPER	1
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	61
DNR VIOLATONS	1
END SAFETY CON REG LIFE	6
ESCAPE	2
FORGERY	7
HOLDS-OTHER DEPT-WARRANTS	466
HOM INT USE VEH/WEAPON	1
INJ BY INT USE VEH WEAPON	2
INJ BY NEG USE VEH WEAPON	1
ISSUE OF WORTHLESS CHECKS	8
MURDER	3
OAR/OAS	105
OWI	157
OTHER TRAF/NVDL/SPEED/ETC	75
PAT-NONSUPPORT/FAMILY OFF	9
PROB-PAROLE VIOLATIONS	542
STOLEN PROP-REC/POSS/CONC	2
RESIST/OBST-OFFICER	25
ROBBERY	1
SEX ASSAULT	4
SEX ASSAULT-CHILD	18
THEFT (INCLUDES RETAIL)	60
KEEPING A HOUSE	6
OTHER	280
WARRANTS-PREVIOUS CHGS (JESO SENTENCE)	432
DOM ABUSE-BATTERY	5
DOM ABUSE-DC	10
DOM ABUSE-VIOL REST ORDER	10
DOM ABUSE-OTHER	4
UCSA-POSS CONT SUBSTANCE	62
UCSA-W/INT TO DELIVER	11
UCSA-DEL CONT SUBSTANCE	36
WEAPONS-CARRY CONCEAL WEAPONS	4
WEAPONS-FELONY POSS	4
WEAPONS-RECKLESS USE	2
TOTAL	(2013) 2,519
TOTAL	(2014) 2,560

Many inmates are booked into the jail for multiple charges. For the purpose of this report, only the most serious charge is counted for each inmate.

Respectfully submitted,
 Lisa Handrow, Sergeant
 Jail Division

2014 INMATE SERVICES PROVIDED



2014 INMATE GARDEN PROJECT REPORT

The Sullivan “Seeds of Hope” garden produced a large amount of produce in the 2014 season. Five Jefferson County inmates worked at the garden on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. This was done on a volunteer basis and, as a result, four of the five were able to earn time off their sentences. Inmates are permitted to work at the community garden if their Judgment of Conviction allowed for work release privileges.

The inmates were able to harvest the following from the garden in the 2014 season:

700# – Potatoes

450# – Onions

350# – Sweet Potatoes

500# – Tomatoes, Zucchini, Peppers and Cucumbers



The produce was distributed to local food pantries, at Back to School events put on by the Wisconsin Dream Center, and some was donated to the Jefferson County jail kitchen.

HUBER DIVISION

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

The Huber Division consists of two deputies that serve as Huber Officers and one sergeant who oversees the program.

Inmates entering the jail facility with Huber privileges and having qualifying employment are charged \$18.25 daily. The jail averages about 33 full-time Huber inmates per day. Huber employment generated \$199,331.61 for the Sheriff's Office. Some inmates come into the jail working part-time, doing child care or attending post high school education. These inmates are charged \$18.25 a day for the days they leave the jail. In 2014, part time Huber inmates generated \$9,214.00 for the Sheriff's Office.

The Huber officer assisted approximately 55 inmates in obtaining gainful employment. Temporary agencies such as Opportunities (DPS), Tyson, Koenig Concrete, Terra Staffing Services, and Schloesser Construction were the primary agencies utilized for employment services for inmates. Inmates seeking employment were encouraged to work with the job skills coordinator at the Jefferson County Jail. The job skills coordinator assisted inmates with resumes, online job search, and basic educational skills. Inmates were then given the opportunity to mail applications to businesses of his or her choice. Upon request, inmates were given applications for temporary staffing agencies.

The Huber Division has used electronic monitoring in cases involving special medical needs. However, electronic monitoring was not utilized during the 2014 calendar year.

In 2014, jail deputies conducted a total of seven on-site Huber checks. Huber officers also conducted two job site checks via telephone calls to inmate employers.

Respectfully submitted,
Kevin Brost, Sergeant
Huber Division



*What year did Disneyland open and how much did
it cost to build?*



Answer: 1955; \$17 million

JAIL MINISTRY

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

The Jefferson County Jail Ministry provides spiritual services to those incarcerated at the Jefferson County Jail. Clergy and lay persons from churches throughout Jefferson County provide these voluntary services. Four days a week, community members enter the jail for worship services and Bible studies. These dedicated community members are known to assist inmates before and after their release from jail.

The Jail Ministry Board is responsible for the oversight of jail ministry functions. Currently the board consists of Captain Paul Wallace and Sergeant Tim Behselich. Additional feedback is consistently requested, received, and welcome from all current Jefferson County Jail Ministry members.

The following churches and organizations have shared their time and personnel by assisting us with weekly worship services and Bible studies in 2014:

Cambridge: Willerup United Methodist Church

Fort Atkinson: First Baptist Church, St. Vincent De Paul, Friendship Baptist Church, Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, and St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church

Jefferson: Calvary Baptist Church, Rock River Assembly of God, St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, St. John's Lutheran Church, and St. Vincent De Paul

Watertown: Ebenezer Moravian Church

Numerous other organizations, ministries, churches, and individuals assisted in guiding those people incarcerated throughout the year.

I would also like to note the passing in 2014 of Pastor William Heine, who retired from the jail ministry in 2013. Many people looked forward to his weekly Saturday Bible study service for 20 years. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Respectfully submitted,
Timothy J. Behselich, Sergeant
Jail Division



How hot is the sun?



Answer: The core is \$27,000,000° F; the surface is only 10,000° F.

PATROL DIVISION

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

The Jefferson County Patrol Division is comprised of 43 members: One captain, six sergeants, 34 deputies, one mechanic, and one secretary. In addition to patrol, this division has several specialized units. These specialized units include Special Weapons and Tactics (S.W.A.T.) Team, Dive Recovery Team, Boat Patrol, Snowmobile Patrol, Motorcycle Patrol, K-9 unit, Crash Investigation Team (C.I.T.), Truck Enforcement, Traffic Safety, and Animal Control Officers.

The Patrol Division continued to work at less than full staff for the year but were able to assist the jail with some open shifts and participate in the varied specialty units and assignments that are needed to keep the Sheriff's Office providing the level of service that the public has come to expect. Requests for K-9 demonstrations as well as assistance with the many bicycle events and races that occur with our county continue to increase each year and our need to make certain that the public is safe at these events remains a goal of the division.

In 2014, the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office, Rock County Sheriff's Office, Village of Johnson Creek Police and Town of Milton Police Departments obtained a Department of Transportation Task Force grant to work special details on the State Highway 26 construction corridor. This \$40,000 grant allowed 172 different officers to be involved in an additional 1003 hours of patrol on the Highway 26 construction zone between May 28 and September 29, 2014. All agencies combined issued 788 citations and 369 traffic warnings during that time. Our grant portion covered approximately \$24,000 in overtime shifts and allowed the purchase of a computer system for one of our motorcycles so that BadgerTracs citations can be issued while on the road, as the other two motorcycles are capable of doing.

We did not purchase any new Chevrolet Tahoe squads in 2014. This required us to utilize the 2012 Tahoes for an additional year. The cost savings was used to assist in the upgrade of the county's radio system.

Deputy William Dandoy continued to work with other police departments and school districts to educate school employees about what to do if an active shooter event were to occur. He assisted in updating their action plans and providing hands-on training so staff is prepared to react to better protect their students. We will continue to train deputies to respond to active shooter emergencies.

In 2014, we added two additional members to the Truck Enforcement Unit. This allows the Sheriff's Office to continue to make certain the roadways of Jefferson County are not damaged due to overweight trucking. Members of this unit are also available to provide informational training to trucking firms who are seeking to stay compliant with the laws.

We-Tip and our Citizen's Police Academy continued in 2014. We-Tip allows citizens to make anonymous reports of crime to local agencies which may, in turn, produce a cash reward.

Our Citizen's Police Academy provides a hands-on, informative, learning experience to civilians about the law enforcement profession.

Respectfully Submitted,
Duane R. Scott, Captain
Patrol Division

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JEFFERSON COUNTY FAIR 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

The 2014 Jefferson County Fair ran from July 9th through July 13th. The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office had a large presence during the fair, with staffing on the grounds 24 hours a day. As in past years, deputies were assisted by Jefferson County Emergency Communications, Inc. (JCEC) personnel. The Sheriff's Office and JCEC members worked very closely with Jefferson EMS personnel to provide a safe and enjoyable experience at the fair.

Sheriff's Office personnel worked a total of 450 hours during the fair. Deputies handled many types of complaints during the fair, with the most frequent being disorderly conduct/fights, lost or missing persons, and alcohol violations. I heard many comments this year from fairgoers and vendors on how safe they felt due to the Sheriff's Office presence.

The Sheriff's Office partnered with Fort Healthcare once again this year and we joined them in their tent directly in front of the activity center to set up our display. This location serves us very well, as we get a lot of exposure to the public. The Child ID Kits were a big hit again this year as well, giving families a resource they can use if their child ever goes missing. New this year were daily demonstrations by the Jefferson County K9 Unit. These were very popular and gave us another chance to interact with the public as well as increase their knowledge of some of the duties of the Sheriff's Office.

As with every year, I want to expressly thank the JCEC organization. They assisted us greatly with everything from dispatching and documentation to crowd control and fights. The members are professional and very helpful.

Respectfully submitted,
Brian Olson, Sergeant
Patrol Division

Have you ever imagined a world with no hypothetical situations?

FIREARMS TRAINING 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

In 2014, deputies of the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office fired approximately 20,000 rounds of handgun ammunition, 3,000 rounds of 12-gauge shotgun ammunition and 6,000 rounds of rifle ammunition while continuing to keep their firearm skills at a high level of readiness. The importance of firearms training is related to the issues of disability and proper decision making when applying the appropriate level of force to affect an arrest or apprehension of an individual in the process of committing a crime.

Deputies received training in all aspects of the use of their handguns, shotgun, and rifle; including close combat training, barricade shooting, seeking cover, shooting while moving, prone shooting, one handed shooting, night and dim light shooting, and practice in drawing their weapons and shooting accurately at moving targets.

During the winter months, additional training addresses the maintenance and proper handling and use of firearms. During this period of time we also take advantage of scenario training made available to us through the use of Air-Soft training weapons, allowing the deputy an opportunity to develop decision-making skills in a shoot, don't shoot situation. The objective is to insert a high level of stress into the training situation that gives the deputy the chance to practice communication skills necessary to gain control of a dangerous situation.

Respectfully submitted
Matthew J. Miller, Sergeant
Firearms Instructor

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TRAFFIC SAFETY STATISTICS 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

A total of 950 traffic crashes were handled by the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office in 2014, an increase of two accidents from 2013. Of those, there were 183 injury accidents which is an increase of 36 from 2013. The injury accidents included 56 Hit and Run crashes with three resulting in injury. Of the 950 crashes, 323 were from striking deer which is an increase of 45 from 2013. A total of 262 persons were injured, 66 more than 2013.

In 2014 there were eight traffic accidents which resulted in ten fatalities in Jefferson County. This is two more than 2013. Two of fatal traffic accidents were handled by the Wisconsin State Patrol with the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office assisting with one of those.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert Scheinkoenig, Sergeant
Patrol Division

TRAFFIC ARRESTS

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

ALCOHOL VIOLATIONS.....	66
ANIMAL VIOLATIONS	26
REGISTRATION VIOLATIONS	367
OPERATOR'S LICENSE VIOLATIONS.....	702
INSURANCE VIOLATIONS.....	1109
FAILURE TO OBEY OFFICER-SIGN/SIGNAL	13
OPERATING LEFT OF CENTER LINE	11
ILLEGAL PASSING/UNSAFE LANE DEVIATION	39
FOLLOW TOO CLOSE.....	28
FAILURE TO YIELD RIGHT OF WAY	36
UNSAFE TURN.....	19
VIOLATION OF TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNAL	59
FAILURE TO STOP/IMPROPER STOP AT STOP SIGN	43
SCHOOL BUS VIOLATIONS.....	12
PARKING VIOLATIONS	7
SPEEDING-IMPRUDENT/TOO FAST FOR CONDITIONS/RECKLESS DRIVING.....	118
SPEED LIMIT VIOLATIONS	2084
OPERATING UNDER INFLUENCE OF INTOXICANTS.....	121
OPERATING WITH A PROHIBITED ALCOHOL CONCENTRATION	90
HIT & RUN/FAILURE TO NOTIFY POLICE OF ACCIDENT	40
INATTENTIVE DRIVING	40
INTOXICANTS IN VEHICLE VIOLATIONS.....	22
EQUIPMENT VIOLATIONS	98
SEATBELT VIOLATIONS.....	191
TRUCK ENFORCEMENT	59
COUNTY ORDINANCES.....	188
MISCELLANEOUS VIOLATIONS	11

Respectfully submitted,
 Brian Olson, Sergeant
 Patrol Division

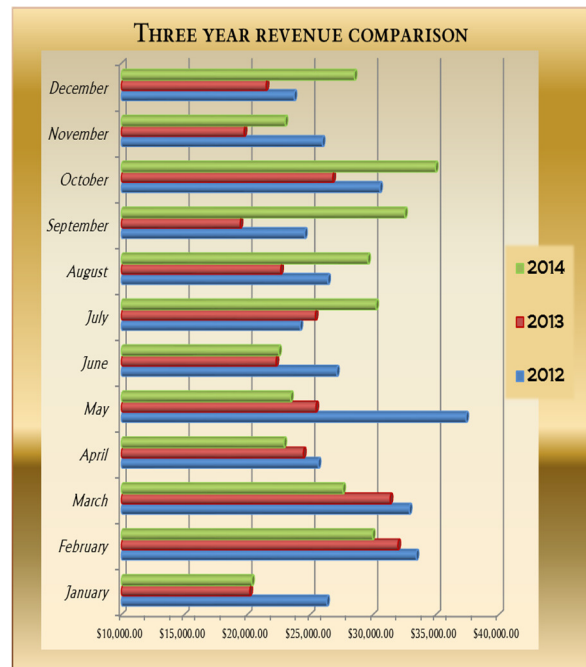
PATROL DIVISION STATISTICS

2014 ACTIVITY REPORT

ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION/REPORT MADE	951
WARRANT ATTEMPTS.....	877
FAMILY DISTURBANCES.....	243
TRANSPORTS/PERSONS.....	1118
MOTORIST ASSISTS.....	1905
CRIMINAL TRAFFIC COMPLAINTS REQUESTED	205
TRAFFIC CITATIONS.....	5354
MISCELLANEOUS CITATIONS - NON-TRAFFIC CO. ORD. VIOLATIONS.....	318
REPAIR NOTICES.....	635
TRAFFIC WARNINGS.....	3640
RESIDENCE CHECKS REQUESTED.....	74
COMPLAINT OF AUTO THEFT	18
MISSING PERSONS REPORTED/REPORTS MADE.....	69
PARK CHECKS	491

PATROL DIVISION REVENUES FOR 2014

JANUARY	\$20,355.78
FEBRUARY	\$29,959.05
MARCH	\$27,600.74
APRIL	\$22,920.01
MAY	\$23,451.30
JUNE	\$22,504.69
JULY	\$30,229.23
AUGUST	\$29,585.71
SEPTEMBER	\$32,517.72
OCTOBER	\$34,966.29
NOVEMBER	\$23,013.12
DECEMBER	\$28,514.81
GRAND TOTALS	\$325,618.45



Respectfully submitted,
Brian Olson, Sergeant

K-9 UNIT

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

K-9 FALKOS / K-9 ELIE MAE - DEPUTY GREG JANSEN

K-9 MINK – DEPUTY SCOTT GUKICH

K-9 HARLOW – DEPUTY JASON BEHM

The Sheriff's Office K-9 unit is the most actively utilized of the specialty units, with narcotic detection being the main use. This may take place due to traffic stops, task force investigations, search warrants, or school searches. The unit is also used for evidence searches, tracking of suspects or missing persons, building searches, and to prevent escape. In addition to working with our own department members, we assist all the local municipalities and the surrounding counties, the state patrol, and the Wisconsin prison system.

We continue to do many public demonstrations for schools, church groups, and community organizations. These demonstrations allow us to enhance community relations by explaining the workings of the unit, and the benefit to the Sheriff's Office and the citizens of this county.

The handlers and K-9's go through extensive training every year, and are all certified through the North American Police Work Dog Association. Teams must show a proficiency in obedience, article search, area search, building search, tracking, narcotic detection, and aggression control. The teams also train on their own as a unit at least twice a month and attend other training sessions throughout the year.

We expect to see another active and successful year in 2015.

Respectfully submitted,
Brian T. Olson, Sergeant
K-9 Unit Supervisor



*What is the odd thing about
the ink used to print American
money?*



UNDERWATER INVESTIGATION AND RECOVERY TEAM 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Dive Team trains monthly to maintain its efficiency. We now have 13 divers of varying certifications from open water diver up to instructor. We are currently training one more diver as instructor. This is to fill a future vacancy, and insure that our divers continually receive high-level training. JESO divers are skilled in specialized diving such as ice diving, swift-water dives, dry-suit dives deep dives, and limited or no visibility diving.

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Dive Team trained in rivers, lakes, and quarries. Much of the training was in limited visibility due to the types of calls we receive. We train under the ice since we also respond to assist with victims that have fallen through the ice. In an average year, the dive team gets several calls for assistance to recover evidence and/or drowning victims in various waters in our county.

The Sheriff's Office takes great pride in their dive team and its ability to assist the citizens of Jefferson County. We will continue to train so that when called upon we can serve our citizens in a proficient and professional manner.

Respectfully submitted,
Sgt. Thomas A. Rue
Dive Team Supervisor

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OPERATING WHILE INTOXICATED STATISTICS 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

This past year showed an increase in arrests made for operating while intoxicated (OWI). A total of 126 drivers were arrested for OWI in 2014. Of these drivers, 18 refused to submit to the test; and of those, 11 had blood drawn despite their refusal due to the fact that they were repeat offenders and their violations are considered traffic crimes. In addition, 52 of the arrests made were a result of automobile accidents.

The average blood alcohol content (BAC) for 2014 was .195% compared to the 2013 average of .186%. High and low months for 2014 were May and December with 14 arrests and September with 5 arrests. In 2013, 112 drivers were arrested for OWI. October and November had the most arrests at 13 each. The lowest month was August with 5 arrests.

Respectfully submitted,
Leon M. Groshek, Sergeant
Patrol Division

MOTORCYCLE PATROL 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

This past year our 2006 Harley Davidson motorcycles were replaced with new 2014 bikes. The motorcycle patrol includes five members and we hope to add another member in 2015.

The unit continues to monitor high traffic crash areas along with areas where citizens made complaints of traffic issues. Routine enforcement was also used on Interstate 94 and the Highway 26 bypass.

During the 2014 riding season, the members of the motorcycle patrol covered approximately 5,275 miles and issued over 400 traffic citations. An approximate total of over \$60,000.00 was charged in bond as a result of the citations issued.

The motorcycle patrol continues to be a positive addition to traffic enforcement in Jefferson County, as well as being a public relations tool at various functions throughout the county.

Respectfully submitted,
Leon Groshek, Sergeant
Patrol Division

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SQUAD REPORT 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

In 2014, the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office purchased one Ford Econoline van for inmate transport and one Chevrolet Impala for the detective division.

Overall, the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office logged a total of 921,806 miles in the year 2014. The breakdown for each division is as follows: Patrol Division logged 725,225 miles; Detective Division logged 49,816 miles; Support Services Division logged 117,103 miles; and the Administrative Division logged 29,662 miles.

The Patrol and Transport Division vehicles continue to run primarily on propane motor fuel. The average cost of propane for 2014 was \$1.69 per gallon, which compares to the average cost of \$3.01 per gallon for regular, unleaded fuel. The Sheriff's Office currently has 18 dual fuel vehicles in its fleet.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert Scheinkoenig, Sergeant
Fleet Maintenance Supervisor

SNOWMOBILE PATROL 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Snowmobile Patrol is supported by the Jefferson County Snowmobile Alliance and the Department of Natural Resources. Equipment is depreciated through the DNR to recoup the costs.

A year-end report is submitted to the Department of Natural Resources after each snowmobile season. We then receive reimbursement for a portion of the cost to operate the snowmobile patrol.

At the time of this report the snowmobile season is still in swing. There have been very few days that the weather has cooperated. Due to the lack of snow, the trails have been closed most of the season. As always, we urge operators to stay on trails and observe all other rules and regulations in order to make this a safe and fun year for all.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas A. Rue, Sergeant

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SPECIAL WEAPONS AND TACTICS TEAM 2014 ANNUAL REPORT

In 2014, the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Special Weapons and Tactics Team (S.W.A.T.) executed 1 high-risk drug search warrants, 1 activations for armed barricaded female armed with a rifle where a round had been discharged in the City of Fort Atkinson.

Each incident resulted in a resolution that prevented anyone from being injured or seriously hurt. Even though the team trains for a physical assault, the objective is to resolve an event with the least use of force. This is reflected in the training program provided to S.W.A.T. team members.

The Special Weapon and Tactics Team consists of 14 deputies, one sergeant, and one captain.

Respectfully submitted
Matthew J. Miller, Sergeant
Special Weapons and Tactics Team Commander

WATER SAFETY PATROL

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

In 2014, the Jefferson County Water Safety Patrol was active on the Rock River and Lake Koshkonong. A new boat was purchased in the spring and the unit began patrolling in May. All members of the unit also perform their primary duties in other divisions of the Sheriff's Office

During the boating season, the Water Safety Patrol accumulated a total of 104 hours. Some of these hours consisted of training new deputies and continuing education for current members. Boating safety courses were again offered to the community with several attending and receiving a boating safety certificate.

Two DNR citations were issued on various bodies of water in 2014. The division was very visible, with many positive contacts on all patrolled bodies of water.

2014 BOATING EXPENDITURES

SALARIES	\$ 3,732.73
TRAVEL, MATERIALS, & SUPPLIES.....	\$ 382.74
DEPRECIATION CLAIMED FOR CAPITAL ITEMS	\$ 523.97
 NET COST OF PATROL	 <u>\$4,630.17</u>

Much of the cost of the Water Safety Patrol will be recouped from the DNR. The actual amount the Sheriff's Office is reimbursed will be determined at a later date through an audit.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas A. Rue, Sergeant
Water Safety Patrol Supervisor



*What are roller coasters classified as by the
U.S. Patent Office?*



HONOR GUARD

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard is a specialty team within the department comprised of deputies from all divisions of the Sheriff's Office. The unit has a sergeant who acts as the supervisor and is in charge of the training and scheduling tasks of that unit.

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard is a member of the Wisconsin Honor Guard Association (WHGA). This is an organization that is assembled from Honor Guard units from across the state. The purpose of this organization is to train all the units in the state to the same standard. Once this standard is achieved, any team would be able to fill in to perform tasks at any department's request. Most of these units have been trained by members of the Washington D.C. Metro Honor Guard Team.

The Honor Guard was very busy again in 2014. We made a number of appearances throughout the state this year. We participated in parades, funerals, Tomorrow's Hope, and also the Law Enforcement Ceremonies in both Jefferson and Madison. We sent members to the annual WHGA conference, and we participated in the Johnson Creek Veterans Day storybook project. One of the highlights for us this year was when we participated with a group of about 30 other Honor Guard units from across the state for a Brewers game in recognition of Law Enforcement Appreciation. All the teams marched out onto the warning track, presented the Colors, and received a Brewers challenge coin in appreciation for law enforcement.

Activities are already scheduled for 2015 and it looks just as busy--some activities are new, some old, but all are fulfilling.

Respectfully submitted,
Jason Hacht, Sergeant
Honor Guard Supervisor



*Which is the oldest city in Wisconsin and
when was it founded?*



2014 FULL-TIME SWORN OFFICERS

Sheriff Paul S. Milbrath

Chief Deputy Jeffrey A. Parker – Undersheriff Kevin F. Stapleton

Captain Duane Scott, Captain Jerry Haferman, Captain Paul Wallace

Sergeants: (Patrol) Matthew Miller, Leon Groshek, Tom Rue, Brian Olson, Rob Scheinkoenig, Travis Maze; (Detective) Don Hunter, Margareta Gray; (Jail) Lisa Handrow, Kevin Brost, Jason Hacht, Heather Novotny, Jeff Galbraith, Tim Behselich; (Support Services) Sharee Brost

Sheriff Department Deputies as follows:

Michael Meyers	Gary Curtis	Ryan McIntyre
Robert Hall	Vaughn Johnson	Nina Beckett
Robert Meyer	Duane Amacher	Matthew Kanters
Randal Podratz	Paul Schultz	Adam Thayer
Bruce Gondert	Joann Schwab	Adam Kleist
Mark Miller	Dennis Griffee	Eli Wiedenfeld
Lori Hogan	Scott Yambor	Eric Heine
Michael Gosh	Chad Garcia	Amy Heggie
Joseph Seidel	Jason Hacht	Vanessa Garcia
Scott Gukich	Rebecca Owen	William Johnson
David Drayna	Ole Olson	Bryan Wallace
Teri Wegner	Jeffrey Galbraith	Kyle VandeZande
Kevin Kellogg	Scott Bondurant	Daniel McGonagil
Scott Scheele	Heather Larson	Alison Walker
Michael Cherti	Jay Leonard	Meloney Thorman
Michael Williams	Dale Punzel	Jeremy Franke
Leah Meyer	Kevin Doeberiner	Amanda Bowman
Gregory Jansen	Steven Schroeder	Mitchell Karleski
Steven Ganser	Peter Betanski	Yvette Turner
Tina Blake	Daniel Horvatin	Michael Vandebush
Susan Yackels	Thomas Klemke	Patrick Farley
Kenneth Tennies	Bradley Riesen	Brandon Streng
Darin DeNucci	Jason Behm	Christopher Brook
Alan Brawders	Donald Petig, Jr.	Jared Brandenburg
Chad Handrow	Chad Roberts	
Donald Johnson, Jr.	Timothy Steinbach	
William Dandoy	Matthew Wolff	

2014 PART-TIME SWORN OFFICERS

Deputy Scott Erwin
Deputy Kevin Lynch

Deputy Tom Gilland
Deputy Eric Brooks

Deputy John Strese
Deputy Julie Schmeling

NON-SWORN FULL-TIME SUPPORT STAFF

Terry Cerny – Confidential Secretary
Karen Schmidt – Account Clerk
Tammy Young – Records Clerk / Receptionist
Mindi Rue – Task Force Secretary
Brenda Nitardy – Patrol Secretary
Sheri Larson – Detective Secretary
Lynn Enke – Process Clerk
Crystal Griffin – Clerk Typist / Jail
Denise Skelly – Clerk Typist / Jail
Julie Noll – Receptionist / Secretary

PART-TIME

Nicol Haberman – Detective Secretary
(job split 40% Sheriff's Office /
60% Emergency Management)

NON-SWORN FULL-TIME DISPATCHERS

TODD LINDERT – COMMUNICATIONS SUPERVISOR

Carol Verhalen
Denise New
Rachel Schloesser
Gary Schuett
Lance Shanahan
Megan Kellner
Ryan Madden
Kendell Hack
Ashley Schroeder

PART-TIME

Sue Ebert
Cassandra Lee
Tiffany Cole
Brenda Nitardy (when needed)
Julie Noll (when needed)

NON-SWORN KITCHEN FULL-TIME

BRIAN NESTHUS - KITCHEN SUPERVISOR

Sue Topel

CUSTODIANS:

Jordan Bielefeldt
Patrick Brown

PART-TIME

Karen Pelzel
Michael Rusch
Julia Keller
Joan O'Reilly (LTE)

FULL-TIME MECHANIC

Randy Frohmader

2014 SHERIFF'S COMMITTEES

LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Dwayne Morris, Chairman

Amy Rinard

Al Counsell

Mike Wineke

Kirk Lund

SHERIFF'S CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONERS

John Neupert, Chairman

Christine Spangler

William Gaugert

Bennett Brantmeier

Rodney Laudenslager

...to preserve and protect life, liberty and property.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Office of the Sheriff of Jefferson County is to promote a criminal justice system that balances the protection of life, liberty and property of the community with the rights and privileges of the individual; to protect and perform our sworn duty to uphold the Constitution of the United States of America, the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, Ordinances of Jefferson County and the Law Enforcement Officers' Code of Ethics; to insure the Constitutional and statutory duties of the Sheriff are properly administered; and to make choices that are consistent with our pursuit to fashion a credible, professional law enforcement agency, engraving the mark of excellence upon all acts and decisions.